The Director of al Intelligence

Washington, D. C. 20505

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Dear Hugh,

I am greatly appreciative of the support you and Louise extended during the last two weeks.

All the furor diverted me from bringing to the attention of the White House the need for acting on the Securities Investor Protection Corporation but I will talk with Ed Meese about this today and give him this memorandum, a copy of which I am sending to John Shad.

Yours,

William J. Casey

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